REGIONAL FUGITIVE TASK FORCES CATCH OF THE WEEK

WEEK OF JANUARY 29, 2007

TAKING THE WORST OF THE WORST OFF THE STREETS

Great Lakes Regional Fugitive Task Force (GLRFTF)

On January 30, 2007, Dante Jackson was arrested in Bloomington, IL by members of GLRFTF. Authorities in Milwaukee, WI wanted Jackson for Murder after he allegedly shot a man twice in the head following an argument over a female. Authorities issued a warrant for Jackson's arrest on January 29, 2007, and contacted GLRFTF for assistance in locating and apprehending him. The following day, with critical assistance from the Technical Operations Group (TOG), GLRFTF investigators identified Jackson's location in Bloomington. Investigators responded to that site, established surveillance on the target residence, and later observed four individuals enter a vehicle a drive away. Investigators followed and conducted a traffic stop. During questioning of the vehicle's occupants, investigators identified Jackson's sister, who confirmed his presence in the home and consented to a search. Investigators traveled back to the target residence, entered the residence, and safely took Jackson into custody.



Dante Jackson
Wanted for:
Murder

Capital Area Regional Fugitive Task Force (CARFTF)

On January 29, 2007, Jamel Mackabee was arrested in Silver Springs, MD by members of CARFTF. Authorities in Washington, DC wanted Mackabee for Murder while Armed after he allegedly fired at and killed a female victim during a nightclub shooting on January 26, 2007. The Washington Metropolitan Police Department identified Mackabee as the alleged shooter, obtained a warrant for his arrest, and contacted CARFTF for assistance in locating and apprehending him. CARFTF investigators developed information indicating that Mackabee fled to a residence in Silver Springs, responded to that site, and safely took him into custody.



Jamel Mackabee
Wanted for:
Murder while Armed

Pacific Southwest Regional Fugitive Task Force (PSWRFTF)

On January 30, 2007, Fabian Urrea was arrested in Culiacan, Sinaloa, Mexico by agents of the Sinaloa Procuridad General de Justicia de Estado (PGJE), who acted on information provided by PSWRFTF investigators. Authorities wanted Urrea for Murder after he allegedly shot and killed a California Army National Guard soldier who returned from Iraq to attend the birth of his wife's child. On June 09, 2005, three days after the child's birth, Urrea, the child's biological father, contacted the victim and his wife and demanded to see the child. The victim convinced his wife that allowing Urrea to meet the child would help resolve any future conflicts. When Urrea arrived however, he began arguing with the victim regarding custody rights, produced a handgun, and allegedly shot the victim three times in the chest. The victim's wife, who was holding the child, stood next to the victim as Urrea allegedly shot him. Urrea fled immediately following the shooting, and investigators learned that with assistance from a family member, he entered the Republic of Mexico. This incident received substantial media coverage, and the FOX network program America's Most Wanted aggressively profiled the case. In July 2005, the Murrieta, CA Police Department contacted PSWRFTF for assistance in locating and apprehending Urrea. Investigators worked to identify Urrea's location in Mexico for more than eighteen months; efforts which culminated in Urrea's successful arrest in Culiacan by PGJE. Mexican authorities transported Urrea to Mexico City where he faces further extradition proceedings.



Fabian Urrea
Wanted for:
Murder

New York/New Jersey Regional Fugitive Task Force (NY/NJ RFTF)

On January 31, 2007, Antwan Simmons was arrested in Camden, NJ by members of NY/NJ RFTF and officers from the Camden and Collingswood, NJ Police Departments. Authorities wanted Simmons for a series of robberies and burglaries which lasted for two months. During one incident in Collingswood, NJ, Simmons allegedly pistol whipped a gas station attendant before stealing his money. Authorities also consider Simmons a suspect in an unsolved carjacking incident that occurred on January 09, 2007. Authorities in Collingswood contacted NY/NJ RFTF and requested assistance in locating and apprehending Simmons. Investigators developed information on Simmons' probable location in Camden and responded to that site. Once at the target residence, NY/NJ RFTF personnel observed Simmons fleeing from an upstairs window on to the home's roof. Investigators pursued Simmons on to the roof and safely took him into custody. Simmons faces charges in relation to fifteen burglary and four robbery incidents, with thirty-seven separate counts including Aggravated Assault, weapons offenses, Carjacking, and Theft.



Antwan Simmons
Wanted for:
Robbery &
Aggravated Assault

Gulf Coast Regional Fugitive Task Force (GCRFTF)

On February 07, 2007, Christopher Webb was arrested in Memphis, TN by members of GCRFTF. Authorities in Lexington, KY wanted Webb for Rape and Probation Violation after he allegedly sexually assaulted a female victim following a drug-related dispute. Webb allegedly assaulted the victim in the presence of children she was babysitting. United States Marshals Service investigators from the Eastern District of Kentucky developed information indicating that Webb fled to Southaven, MS, and contacted GCRFTF for assistance. GCRFTF investigated this lead, and developed further information indicating that Webb fled to Memphis. GCRFTF responded to a home in that city, observed Webb, and safely took him into custody.



Christopher Webb
Wanted for:
Rape &
Probation Violation

Southeast Regional Fugitive Task Force (SERFTF)

On February 07, 2007, Rodriquis Carthel Stephens was arrested in College Park, GA by members of SERFTF and inspectors from the Technical Operations Group (TOG). The Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco & Firearms (BATF) wanted Stephens for firearms possession after he allegedly obtained a weapon while under previous indictment for Aggravated Stalking. Stephens also faced multiple charges of Aggravated Assault on a Police Officer after he used his vehicle to allegedly drag a police officer down a street. On October 18, 2006, BATF requested assistance from SERFTF in locating and apprehending Stephens. SERFTF investigators developed information indicating that Stephens remained in the Atlanta area, and with critical assistance from TOG, they identified his location at a College Park motel. Investigators responded to that site and confirmed Stephens' presence in one of the rooms. As SERFTF units approached the door, Stephens opened and immediately slammed it in front of SERFTF personnel forced entry in to the room and safely took investigators. Stephens into custody without further incident. During a security sweep of the room, investigators observed and seized approximately 130 grams of suspected crack cocaine, \$1,520 in US currency, a portable scale, and plastic baggies.



Rodriquis Stephens Wanted for: Firearms Possession